

FISCAL NOTE

SB 1384 - HB 908

March 15, 2001

SUMMARY OF BILL: Provides that any truck tractor-trailer combination or semitrailer equipped with anti-splash side flaps shall be eligible for a 10% reduction of any fine imposed for motor vehicle violations under T.C.A. Title 55, Chapter 8.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Decrease State Revenues - Less than \$30,000

Decrease Local Govt. Revenues - Not Significant

Estimate assumes:

- annual revenues received from violations by truck tractor-trailer combinations and semi-trailers is estimated to be approximately \$300,000.
- the state will experience a decrease in revenues from the decreased fines levied and collected on affected vehicles. This decrease depends on the number of violators qualifying for the discount and is estimated to be less than \$30,000.
- local governments would experience a decrease in revenues from the court clerks 5% commission on affected fines.
- the state receives the revenue from fines for such motor vehicle offenses in accordance with T.C.A. 55-10-303.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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